May 5, 2014

The Honorable James Marleau
Chair, Senate Committee on Health Policy
Michigan Senate
PO Box 30036
Lansing, MI 48909

Re: Support for SB 879 Breast Density Education

Dear Senator Marleau:

My name is James Nichols and I want to express my support for Senator Hildenbrand's Breast Density Education bill, SB 879, I lost my mother to breast cancer and numerous friends. This may have been avoided, if my mother had the proper education and screenings.

Women deserve to be educated on what density means. That is all we are asking is for more education. We have everything to gain and nothing to lose.

Women need to understand what density means. They need to know if they have dense breasts, and discuss additional screening tests with their physicians. This will save women's lives.

We must pass this bill. We owe it to all the women who have gone through this terrible disease and for those in the future.

Sincerely, James G Nichols President Arch1LTD 3064 Woodridge Circle NE Grand Rapids Mi 49525